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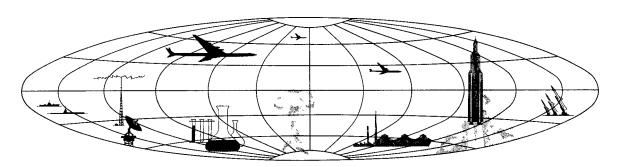
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PREFACE

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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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BATUMI ARMY BARRACKS GOGOL UL

(41-38N 041-40E)

BATUMI, GRUZINSKAYA SSR, USSR

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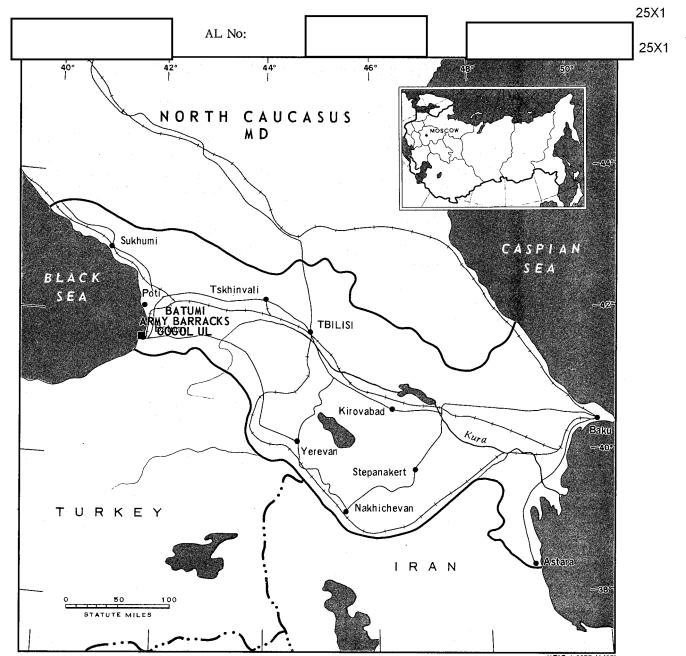


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF BATUMI ARMY BARRACKS GOGOL UL.

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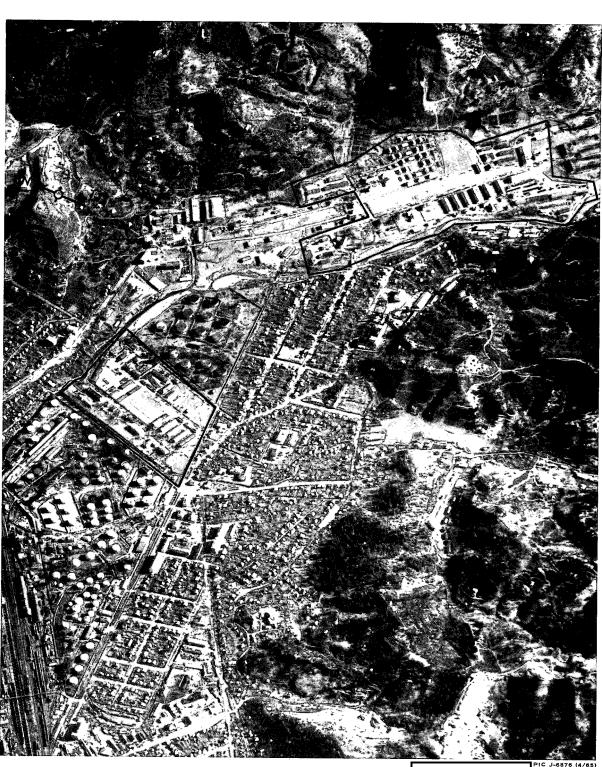


FIGURE 2. BATUMI ARMY BARRACKS GOGOL UL, BATUMI, USSR,

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SUMMARY

Batumi Army Barracks Gogol UL is located 2 kilometers (km) east of Batumi (Figure 1).

The barracks installation consists of 2 separate sections: a barracks/motor pool area and a probable barracks/motor pool area 1 km southeast. The first area encompasses 25 acres and contains the following buildings: 4 barracks/administration, 5 barracks, 20 support, and 8 vehicle storage. Also included within the area are 3 vehicle parks with numerous vehicles, and an athletic field. The second area, covering 70 acres, contains the following buildings: 4 administration, a bar-

racks/administration, 7 barracks, 3 storage, 20 support, 12 vehicle storage, and 25 dependent/officers quarters. There is also 1 vehicle park, containing many vehicles, and an exercise field (Figures 2 and 3). A compound, containing 8 buildings, located directly south gives some appearance of being military; however, there is not sufficient evidence to warrant its inclusion in this report.

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reveals no change in the 25X1

levels of usage or physical facilities.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service .

A main rail line with a classification yard is 1 km northwest.

Road Service

The installation is served by hard-surfaced city streets.

Aircraft Landing Strip

The nearest aircraft landing facility is Batumi Airfield, 7 km southwest.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area Dl contains 4 multistory barracks/ administration buildings, 5 single-story barracks, and 13 single-story buildings.

Area D2 contains 3 irregular-shaped, multistory administration buildings, 9 multistory barracks/administration buildings, 7 singlestory barracks, 3 single-story storage buildings, and 16 single-story support buildings.

POL Storage Areas

Numerous tank farms are located throughout Batumi.

Other Buildings

Area H contains 25 dependent / officers quarters.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 contains 8 vehicle storage buildings (three 40 by 160 feet, one 40 by 130 feet, one 60 by 280 feet, one 30 by 110 feet, one 30 by 90 feet, and one 50 by 210 feet), 7 single-story support buildings, and 3 vehicle parks (one 50 by 230 feet, one 110 by 125 feet, and one 130 by 210 feet). Numerous vehicles are present in the area.

Area J2 contains 4 vehicle storage buildings (two 35 by 150 feet and two 35 by 90 feet). Vehicles are present in the parking area around the buildings.

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FIGURE 3. BATUMI BARRACKS GOGOL UL. Sketch compiled

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Area J3 contains 3 vehicle storage buildings (45 by 160 feet, 45 by 250 feet, and 45 by 130 feet) surrounded by a parking area. Area J4 contains 2 vehicle storage buildings (45 by 350 feet and 45 by 400 feet), a 80 by 350 foot vehicle park, and 1 support building. Numerous vehicles are in the area.	Area J5 contains 3 vehicle storage builtings (one 35 by 200 feet and two 35 by 1 feet) and 3 support buildings. Athletic Fields Areas K1 and K2 are athletic fields.
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